

THRIFT STAMP CAMPAIGN IN FULL BLAST.

The campaign for the sale of Thrift Stamps in the city and county is in full blast, and promises to be one of material benefit to those engaged in this effort to help swell the Nation's resources. A house-to-house canvass of the city is to be one of the main features.

Twenty-one farmers and business men of Paris and Bourbon county have gone the limit in the campaign and have made large purchases of the War Savings Stamps. The total sales to date are considerably above the \$30,000 mark.

In order to get the work of the campaign properly systematized the city of Paris has been divided into districts, to be placed in charge of two workers, who will each have charge of a corps of canvassers for the purchase of the stamps. The teams and the districts to which they have been assigned are as follows:

Main street, Second to Fifth, D. C. Parrish and B. A. Frank; Fifth to Eighth streets, John F. Davis and J. A. Stern; Eighth street to Twelfth street, Dr. L. Oberdorfer, M. J. Lavin and C. P. Cook; Twelfth to Sixteenth street, M. P. Collier, Harry Baldwin and William Shire; Sixteenth to Twentieth street, H. A. Power and John Christman; Pleasant street and cross streets to Main street, Second to Eighth, A. B. Hancock and E. T. Hinton; Eighth to Thirteenth street, Dr. J. T. Vansant, W. G. McClintock and Harry Linville; Winchester street and Henry Addition, Railroad Committee; Duncan avenue, Vine street and Stoner avenue, Walter Payne, Thomas Kiser and James McClure; High street and cross streets to Main, court house to Eighth street, W. O. Hinton and C. B. Mitchell; Eighth street to Fourteenth street, Oscar Hinton and Withers Davis; Fourteenth to Sixteenth street, and Cypress street, Wm. Bryan and D. S. Henry; Seventh street to bridge, Higgins avenue and Lilliston avenue, Professor T. A. Hendricks and Mayor E. B. January; Eighth street and Convent Heights, including Walker avenue, Robert Shea and George Doyle; Second street, Mt. Airy avenue, White Addition and Houston avenue, Pearce Paton, Fay Ardery, J. M. Russell and J. M. Scott; East Paris, Frank M. Clay and M. J. Murphy.

COMING ATTRACTIONS AT PARIS GRAND AND ALAMO.

Friday—Wallace Reid and Kathryn Williams, in "The Thing We Love," a powerful patriotic picture, directed by Lou Tellegen; opening chapter of new serial, "The Eagle's Eye," by Wm. J. Flynn, former Chief of the U. S. Secret Service, with King Baggott and Margaret Snow in leading roles; Wm. S. Hart, in "A Square Deal"; Mutt & Jeff comedy, "A Dog's Life."

Saturday—Finnie Ward, in "Innocence," a Pathe feature, enthusiastically endorsed by the Cincinnati Enquirer; Christie comedy, "Local Color"; Pathe Weekly News of Current Events.

Monday—Marguerite Clark, in another Sub-Deb story, "Bab's Matinee Idol," you've seen Bab's Diary? A funny Max Sennet comedy, "His Hidden Purpose," one of Sennet Studio's funniest.

REPORT OF BUCHANAN SALE

Auctioneer M. F. Kenney makes the following report of the sale of stock, etc., of Mr. Charles Buchanan, held on the Squire Barlow farm near Centerville, in this county, Tuesday:

Horses, \$84 to \$200 per head; two-year-old mule, \$69; cows, \$58 to \$100 per head; brood sows, \$28 to \$58 a head; 50-pound shoats, \$14 each; corn, \$9 per barrel; chickens, \$1 each; roosters, \$1.25 each; feathers, 52 cents per pound; household goods and farming implements sold well. The attendance was good, despite the threatening weather.

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FIRE DESTROYS HEMP STORAGE HOUSE IN LEXINGTON.

Fire completely destroyed the three-story brick building and contents of the Nelson hemp storage house at the corner of Main and Grant streets Wednesday night, shortly after 11 o'clock. The estimated damage, it was said, would reach \$25,000. The building contained large quantities of hatched hemp, corn and seed.

The origin of the fire is unknown although it was said that it may have originated from spontaneous combustion.

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FIRE DESTROYS MONTGOMERY COUNTY HOME.

Fire destroyed the home of Willis Henry, on the Grassy Lick pike, about three miles from Mt. Sterling, Wednesday. The family was sleeping when the fire was discovered and difficulty was experienced in rescuing some members of the household. All contents of the building were burned. The loss, approximately \$4,000, was partially covered by insurance. The residence was a large two-story frame.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

You are hereby notified to boil all water used for drinking or domestic purposes, whether it be from hydrant, cistern, well or spring. This is important, and you will govern yourselves accordingly.

By order of Board of Health.
By A. H. KELLER,
Health Officer.

LETTER FROM A SOLDIER BOY IN THE SERVICE.

Letters from the soldier boys in the service are always welcome to THE NEWS' columns. As a general thing, they are encouraged by the military authorities, with the understanding that there shall be nothing published that will tend to hamper the service or be of help to the enemy. But our boys do not write that kind. THE NEWS is permitted to make the following extracts from a letter written recently by Sergt. Lawrence James, now in the service at Camp Bowie, Texas, to his mother, Mrs. Mollie James, of Paris: "Camp Bowie, Texas, March 2, 1918.

"Dear Mamma:—Here comes one of those ten minutes' editions of me, for ten minutes is really more than I am able to spare, considering the fact that I have to shave, and shine my shoes all the same day. Of course there are a few other things to do besides the regular program from 5:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.

"Things are humming at Camp Bowie now. Tuesday there was a divisional review of every soldier, horse, wagon, mule, calsson, truck, motorcycle here, in all 27,000 soldiers and as many of the above named. The parade passed the reviewing stand in line of mass, and measured fifteen miles from head of mass to the rear. It required four and one-half hours for it to go by. Had the division been in column formation it would have been sixty miles long. Some soldiers!

"To the civilian it seemed so tremendous that it was overawing and to military observers it was a most inspiring sight. I had a chance to observe most of it and filled a not book with criticisms, too, just for fun, and to discuss at our non-com school the following night. The 143rd regiment was the first regiment to go by and the Machine Gun Company was the thirteenth to go by, and at that we had a great record. Of course, the criticisms that could be made were just minor details of infractions of regulations, and, as a whole, the division is in excellent shape, fit, I should say, for service overseas. The main thing to be seen as each company passes was the line straight as an arrow, each man in step, and stepping thirty inches, head erect, chest out, and full of confidence, each rifle carried at the correct angle, and 'oh boy,' the way they snapped into that eyes right, as they passed General Bribly and staff! The main thing of all to be seen was 'Good Night Willie Hohenzollern.'

"The papers call General Gribly 'the grand old man,' but we call him, in an affectionate way, and meaning no disrespect whatever, 'Old Hellon-wheels,' and it fits him, too. If you don't think so, try enlisting, show up on the drill field for a bit of drill and go to it in a half-hearted manner. He deserves a great deal of credit, for he has whipped the division into shape, while we were awfully handicapped by lack of equipment, sickness and bad weather.

"It can't be long before we're going over. All the officers say a month or six weeks at the most, and everybody's anxious to go, for we want our 'Hun' each, and we're afraid there won't be enough left to go around unless we get there soon.

"There's an aviator killed here every day on an average, though we don't pay any attention to it, for it is all in the game. However, when Capt. Vernon Castle fell, it threw a curtain of gloom over everything, for he was well-known and well-liked by one and all, and on account of his prominence in American life, and a high ace in the flying game.

"I have a \$100 Liberty Bond about paid for, which will be enough to buy me a civilian outfit when the Kaiser is canned, and I won't lose any hair worrying about when that will be. Guess now my ten minutes is up, so, with love, I am,

"LAWRENCE."

Another of Mrs. James' sons, Cornelius (Buddy) James, writes her that he has made three round trips across the ocean, on a big ship guarding transports carrying soldiers and munitions of war to France, but of course, is not permitted to give any details. He stated that he was enjoying life, was in the very best of health, and was well satisfied with life in the navy in every respect.

(Since the above was placed in type Maj-Gen. Edwin St. John Grebley, who is referred to in the above, has been relieved from command of the 36th (National Guard Division) at Camp Bowie, discharged from his commission in the National Army, and assigned to other duty with his regular army rank of Brigadier-General.)

"EVERYSTUDENT" FOR MARCH

The March number of "Everystudent," the Paris High School monthly publication, is just off the press in THE NEWS job rooms. This issue is full of interesting contributions from High School students, all showing decided literary merit. Among the most notable contributions are those from Norbert Friedman, who was awarded first prize in the poetry contest for his poem, "Spring," and Miss Mabel Templin, who secured the second award, the subject of her poem being "Somewhere in France."

PURCHASE EXPORT CATTLE

Mr. John G. Redmon sold Saturday a fine bunch of export cattle to the Margolen Sanitary Meat Market. This firm will butcher these fine "corn-fed" for their large and increasing trade. If you want a real sweet, juicy steak or roast, phone them your order for a cut of this home-killed, home-raised, corn-fed stock.

(12-2t)

PARIS ASKED TO AID SOLDIERS' LIBRARY CAMPAIGN.

The Kentucky Library Commission is making an effort to collect 2,000,000 additional books for camp libraries, and to that end is soliciting the aid of the Public Libraries and librarians all over the State. In a letter to Miss Imogene Redmon, librarian of the Paris Public Library, Miss Fannie Rakson, of Frankfort, Secretary of the Commission, says:

"In order to collect 2,000,000 additional books for camp libraries, the week of March 18 to 25 has been set aside by librarians as Intensive Book Campaign Week. I sent your name to the American War Committee so that instructions may go to you direct. We are especially anxious that Kentucky should do her part by responding heartily to the additional call for books, as the State fell about \$25,000 short in its contribution to the War Liberty Fund.

"We feel that an urgent appeal will bring forth a hearty response, as there are numerous books on the shelves of private libraries which the owners would willingly donate if they are approached properly. Please do your utmost to promote the campaign and let me hear from you immediately."

The books which are wanted by the Commission are as follows: Fiction—Adventure; Western stories; Detective stories; Love stories of the best sort; Stories of Business; Historical novels. Non-Fiction—Military scenes; Aeroplanes; Engineering; Automobiles; Electricity; Mechanics; Horses; Drawing; Agriculture; Business; Books on the war (especially tales from the trenches); Wireless telegraphy and telephony; Arithmetic; Algebra; Geometry, etc.; Letter writing (personal and business); Poetry, old and new; Biography; especially autobiography; Travel and history, especially of Western Europe; French conversation books; Popular books in foreign language.

They do not want out-of-date books on science or technology, nor out-of-date text books; worn-out books of any kind; and they do not want the kind of books that appeal especially to women.

TWO NOTED SPEAKERS TO BE HERE MARCH 28TH.

Arrangements have been made to have Dr. Lyman Power, a noted orator, and thinker of New York City, and Dr. Ernest Abbott, editor of the Outlook, one of the foremost publications of America, of which Roosevelt was formerly associate editor, speak at the Paris Opera House on Thursday afternoon, March 28th, at 3 o'clock.

They have been secured for the occasion through the efforts of H. H. Cherry, President of the State Normal School, of Bowling Green, who writes, "No two greater speakers ever entered our Commonwealth. Their distinction, their careers, the great message which they bring to us justify a cordial and enthusiastic reception and a great hearing. The League to Enforce Peace, which has ex-President Taft as its President, is deeply interested, and we are securing these men through the League's influence."

This is indeed an opportunity for Paris and Bourbon county to hear two of the greatest speakers that ever entered our Commonwealth, and no one should miss it.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

Dr. Vansant has moved his offices to the front rooms over the Alamo Theatre. Entrance on Fifth street. (12-2t)

NOTICE.

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(15mar-2t)

LEGISLATURE EXTENDS SYMPATHY TO STRICKEN WINCHESTER.

In a resolution offered by Claude M. Thomas, of Bourbon county, the House at Frankfort tendered unanimously by rising vote its sympathy to the people of Winchester in the sorrow brought to that community by the disaster of last Saturday night, which was acknowledged by Representative John W. Swope in a feeling speech.

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HERTIG RELEASED ON BOND.

Wm. S. Hertig, of Paris, charged with cutting Wm. C. Powell, of Paris, in the back, arm and shoulder, during an argument in the L. & N. yards at Maysville, waived examining trial when the case was called for a hearing. His attorney, Mr. Stanley Reed, produced a power of attorney from Mr. Ed. T. Hinton, of the J. T. Hinton Co., Paris, to act as bondsman. Hertig was released on a bond of \$500, signed by Mr. Reed, as Mr. Hinton's attorney-in-fact, for his appearance before the grand jury in the March term of the Mason Circuit Court. Hertig returned to Paris, accompanied by his family.

RELIGIOUS.

—The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Newton Mitchell, on Duncan avenue, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All the members are urged to be present.

—The Hopkinsville Kentuckian says: "Rev. Ward Russell, pastor of the Christian churches at Pembroke and Trenton, has resigned to take effect April 1. He will go to a church in Bourbon county."

—The Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church will meet at the court house Sunday evening at 6:30. A special program has been arranged, which will be in charge of Miss Elizabeth Crutcher's class.

—A series of services will be held, beginning to-night at 7:30 o'clock, in the Masonic Temple, by Rev. E. O. Hobbs, evangelist. Evangelist Hobbs assisted in a successful tent meeting in Paris the past summer. Everybody invited to attend these services.

—The devotional topic for discussion at the meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist church next Sunday night will be "Common Forms of Intemperance and Their Remedies." Miss Frances Hancock will lead the discussion.

—The Endeavor Society of the Christian church, will meet in the parlors of the church at 6:15 Sunday evening. The young people would like to see many more of the older members in attendance. The subject will be "The Art in Living With Others." Leader, Miss Mattie Baldwin.

—At the Methodist church next Tuesday morning special services will be held. The new service flag has been received and will be placed in position at the morning service with appropriate ceremonies. The public is cordially invited to attend. The presence of relatives and friends of the enlisted young men is especially requested.

—Sunday, March 17, will be observed by the members of the Christian Endeavor Societies of the Southern States as "Dixie Endeavor Day." Special programs will be carried out in most of the societies, and special efforts will be made to increase the number of societies and to add to the membership of those already organized.

—One Million dollars for Foreign Missions by April 20, will be the slogan of a campaign to be carried out by the members of the Southern Baptist church during the month of April, plans for which are already under way. The object of the campaign is to secure this fund in addition to the regular gifts of the church to this work, as the war has greatly increased the cost of foreign missionary work.

—At the instance of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, the week preceding Easter Sunday will be observed by the churches of the United States as a week of prayer. The council represents more than thirty of the larger denominations of the nation, and it asks that the pastors of the denominations take steps looking toward the nation-wide observance of the week.

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PUBLIC SALE

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Saturday, March 23, 1918.

at 2 o'clock, the large frame stable in the rear of my home on Pleasant street. This stable is 24x36 feet and has three large stalls, has tongue and groove floored loft; shingles on roof good; galvanized guttering around building; doors in good condition as is stable, which has always been kept painted and is in first-class condition. Purchaser must remove said building from the premises by April 1.

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